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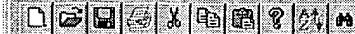Default operator: OR   ☑ Highlight all hit terms initially

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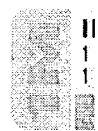Software requirements are the focal point from which traceability to all relate‹ are established during the certification of safety critical software. For the certi air-borne software, the guidance document DO-178B, requires that the **link** b requirements, design, code and tests be documented and verified. The DO-17 document does not describe how this should be done, but it permits the reen‹ information that is missing, to support the certification of commercial-off-the- (COTS) products. Requirements were entered in a database and evolved thro‹ sequence that enforced the states described in company process documents. descriptions, source code, tests, results and so on were maintained in a **confi** management (CM) system. The final audit was successful and the CD-**ROM** d‹ requirements based certification package was accepted and commended. The the approach and the lessons learned were presented.

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TITLE: System and method for providing dynamic configuration ROM using double image
buffers for use with serial bus devices

DATE-ISSUED: December 30, 2003

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ABSTRACT:

A system and method for providing dynamic configuration Read Only Memory (ROM) using double image buffers for use with serial bus devices. The dynamic configuration ROM may be updated while linked to the serial bus and with little or no risk of publishing inconsistent configuration ROM information to other nodes on the bus. The dynamic configuration ROM comprises first and second configuration ROM images, one set to active, the other set to update. The dynamic configuration ROM publishes the configuration entries from the active configuration ROM image. Modifications to the configuration ROM are stored in a database. The update configuration ROM image is constructed from entries made to the database. After the construction of the update configuration ROM image is completed, the dynamic configuration ROM switches the states of the ROM images and transmits a serial bus reset signal. Subsequently, the configuration entries from the newly active configuration ROM images are then published to the other nodes on the bus.

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(54) DIGITAL TELEVISION APPARATUS FOR CONTROLLING A PERIPHERAL DEVICE VIA A DIGITAL BUS

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(57) **ABSTRACT**

A minimal level of interoperability for exchanging audio/video (A/V) content and associated control between common consumer electronic (CE) devices is defined. This interoperability is based on the IEEE 1394 serial bus for the physical and link layers and makes use of AV/C or CAL as the control language. This invention provides for reducing the number of remote controls that the user might need by allowing remote control commands to always be received by a controlling device (e.g., digital television) and then routed to the appropriate peripheral device (e.g. digital VCR) after translation into a universal format.

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